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Annex

Research and Development Project Approval Request

I. Identification

Under what category of Agency Program Activity will project be undertaken; by what component; included in financial plan and at what level; if not what prompted initiation now; any internal designation?

II. Objectives

What is requirement for this effort, what will be resulting product, how will it be used, what is advancement over existing capabilities?

III. Background

Substantive and/or operational justification, previous or existing means of meeting problem pertinent operational experience.

IV. Technical Specifications

Technical data as applicable and in sufficient detail to permit reasonable evaluation by qualified staff elements within the requesting component, but at the same time this section should not incorporate full specifications as might be worked up by the contractor.

V. Contractor & Financial Arrangements

Name of firm; others considered; reason for choice; cost; duration; guidance from Headquarters, etc.

VI. Coordination

Within the Agency; with other Governmental departments; with academic or business institutions as appropriate.

VII. Security

Within the Agency; within the contracting firm or institution; other aspects.